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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

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CR 05-60008

Plaintiff.

MOTION FOR PRODUCTION AND SATISFACTION OF PROSECUTOR'S **DUTY OF INQUIRY AND HENTHORN** REVIEW AND SUPPORTING **MEMORANDUM** 

PIROUZ SEDAGHATY,

Defendant.

Defendant, Pirouz Sedaghaty, by and through his attorneys, Lawrence Matasar, and Federal Public Defender Steven T. Wax, hereby moves this Court to direct the government to conduct a review of the personnel files of Daveed Gartenstein-Ross and Thomas Wilcox in accordance with the holding in *United States v. Henthorn*, 931 F.2d 29, 31 (9th Cir. 1991), and to disclose the results of said review no later than ninety days prior to trial.

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The government has indicated that it will call on Mr. Daveed Gartenstein-Ross and

Mr. Thomas Wilcox to testify in this case. Mr. Gartenstein-Ross worked as a federal

employee when he was a clerk for the United States Court of Appeals for the D.C. Circuit

beginning in 2002. Mr. Thomas Wilcox worked as an Internal Revenue Service (IRS)

revenue agent from 1974 to 1979. Pursuant to Henthorn, the obligation to conduct a

review of government witness personnel filed arises by virtue of the making of a demand

for their production. 931 F.2d at 31. There is no requirement that the defendant make any

initial showing as to materiality. Id.

Mr. Sedaghaty moves this Court to enter an order directing the government to

conduct a Henthorn review of the personnel files of former government employees, Daveed

Gartenstein-Ross and Thomas Wilcox, no later than ninety days prior to trial.

RESPECTFULLY submitted this 29<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2008.

/s/ Steven T. Wax

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